

PROSPECTS GOOD FOR A HOT FIGHT

Primary Election Bill Up
in the State Senate
Next Week.

VOTE OF THE PEOPLE

That is Likely To Be the Ul-
timum of Opponents
of the Measure.

BITTER FEELING IS GROWING

Madison, Wis., April 6.—The hot-
test fight which has been seen on the
floor of the senate in many years is
likely to be witnessed there next week
over the primary election bill. By
the time that it is taken up, Wednes-
day evening there will be several sub-
stitutes in, under the resolution ad-
opted Friday permitting senators to
hand substitutes or amendments to
the clerk and have them printed and
placed on the calendar. One of these
substitutes may provide for the sub-
mission of the question of the pas-
sage of the Stevens substitute bill to
a vote of the people.

It is beginning to be realized by
several senators that this is the sen-
sible thing to do, and the only method
of healing the breach which is con-
stantly widening between the friends
of the bill and its opponents. There
is a chance that the opposition may
unite on a compromise measure which
will be the bill passed, and which it
is believed would receive the con-
currence of a majority in the assembly.
The opposition held a caucus Thurs-
day evening, at which the resolution
calling the Miller bill out of the com-
mittee, sprung by Senator Gaveney yester-
day, was agreed upon, and the caucus
system may be adhered to until
the bill is disposed of in some way.
Just how broad such a compromise
would be it is impossible to predict
at this time.

Limit Within County Lines.
The leaders of the opposition would
limit the application of the bill, with-
in county lines, while a few of those
who voted with the majority Friday
favor following pretty closely the
provisions of the Minnesota bill. The
friends of the Stevens bill have not as
yet manifested a willingness to ac-
cept any compromise, but it is prob-
able that they would now be satis-
fied with the Minnesota bill. It is
supposed that their idea in holding
back the Miller bill in the committee
was to size up the situation after ac-
tion had been taken on the Stevens
bill, and then so amend the Miller bill
as to ensure the passage of a bill hav-
ing the administration stamp. This,
however, is contradicted by the state-
ment of Senator Miller on the floor
yesterday that if the Stevens sub-
stitute was killed this bill, 73 A.,
would not be brought up for consid-
eration.

Voting Machines Again.
The voting machine is to have an-
other chance. At last evening's ses-
sion of the senate Senator Mills moved
that the vote by which the Hall
constitutional amendment, legalizing
the machines, was defeated, should be
reconsidered, and that action on the
motion be deferred until Tuesday.
The amendment had a majority of one
Friday, but still lacked one of a ma-
jority of all members. Senator Ja-
cobs and Morse were absent, and it
may be that one of them will give
the vote necessary to pass the meas-
ure. Two sample machines, the
McTammany and The Standard, are
set up in the room of the assembly
committee on privileges, and all of
the members have tried them. Their
cost is one of the principal objec-
tions the price of the cheapest being
placed at \$400 each, and as a machine
would be required for each precinct
the total for any city in the state
would run well up into four figures.

It was decided by the senate on
Friday evening to send the two bills
relative to the state tax commission
back to the committee on assessment
and collection of taxes for another
hearing. Several of the senators
think that the bill enlarging the pow-
ers of the commission is too drastic
and should be modified.

Railway Taxation Bill.
While the senate is wrestling with
the primary election bill next week
the assembly will have its share of
trouble over the railway taxation
bill, which is expected to be reported
out of the committee early in the
week, perhaps at Monday's session.
It is said that one of the bills, prob-
ably the one which provides for an
increase of the rate under the present
license system, will come from the
committee with practically a unani-
mous report in its favor.

Approve La Follette's Veto
Gov. La Follette's veto of the bill
which would permit the police and
fire commissions of cities to summar-
ily remove policemen and firemen is
receiving general approval. Many of
the legislators had not realized the
arbitrary power that the bill gave the

commissions, of discharging the men
or chiefs without assigning any cause.
Such a law would be a long step back-
ward toward the days when the po-
lice departments were very important
wheels in the political machine.

Levees at Portage.
The bill appropriating \$20,000 for
the extension and strengthening of the
levees at Portage which keep the wa-
ters of the Wisconsin river from over-
flowing the surrounding country is
likely to become a law. It went to
third reading in the assembly on Fri-
day, and will probably be passed and
reach the senate early next week. The
opposition, led by Mr. Gilman, was
mainly on the ground that the passage
of the bill would bring down other
sections of the state to seek relief
from the state treasury.

The Biennial Farce.
The biennial farce of passing a bill
imposing some nominal additional
duty upon the state superintendent of
education, at an extravagant re-
numeration, in order to get around
the constitutional amendment which
limits his salary to \$1,200, and gives
him adequate compensation, will be
done away with if the people endorse
the constitutional amendment which
passed the senate yesterday, and it is
recommended by the assembly com-
mittee for a favorable action. The
amendment has been passed by one
legislature. Besides removing the
salary limitation, it changes the term
of the superintendent from two to
four years, beginning the first Monday
in July, and provides that he shall be
elected at the same time and in the
same manner as are justices of the su-
preme court. W. A. BAYLEY.

WHISTLES WHILE KNIFE CUTS.

Mrs. Knight Renders "Il Trovatore"
Under an Anesthetic.
St. Louis, Mo., April 6.—While a sur-
geon's knife cut into her at the City
hospital last night, and while under
the influence of chloroform, Mrs. Ida
Knight, a woman of refinement, though
in reduced circumstances, whistled the
"Miserere" from "Il Trovatore," never
stopping or faltering in a note until
she had finished. The doctors say she
was under the complete influence of
the anesthetic while the operation was
going on. The case is considered
remarkable by the attending physi-
cians. After the first time she lapsed
into silence, but at intervals would
whistle selections from the opera. After
the operation she remembered nothing
of the whistling, and said that she
did not recall having thought of any-
thing while the operation was in progress.

LIKELY TO BE FAIR ON EASTER SUNDAY

Fine Weather Prediction for Tomorrow
is Somewhat Qualified by the
Weather Man.

Chicago, April 6.—The tradition
that Easter Sunday is always fair is
likely to be maintained this year.
Professor Cox, who admires bonnets as
much as any brightened man, is striv-
ing his mightiest to make the sun
shine on the just and the unjust im-
partially tomorrow. He hopes it
will. He expects the wind to blow
today's storm over the lake by Sun-
day.

However, he realizes that he has
quite a contract on his hands. For
last night the storm filled the whole
Mississippi valley, that of the Ohio
and the lower Missouri. Rain mixed
possibly with snow is sure to pre-
vail here today, also high northwest
winds. Consequently tomorrow's
clear weather is not absolutely cer-
tain, but there will be no rain, and as
a whole the day should be fair.

The winds last night upon the lake
were as high as forty-eight and fifty
miles an hour. Heavy rains fell
yesterday—at Kansas City over two
inches and at Des Moines an inch.

MAKES A BABY HER HUSBAND.

Woman Weds a Boy of 8 Months to
Save an Estate.

Pawtucket, R. I., April 6.—Accord-
ing to a private dispatch, which was
received in this city from Binghamton,
N. Y., Miss Elizabeth Watrous of this
city was married on Thursday to an
8-month-old boy named Carroll of that
place, the ceremony being made neces-
sary to save an estate left by her
grandfather, who died two years ago.
The estate was valued at \$80,000, and
was to go to Miss Watrous, provided
she married the male heir. The bride
is 19 years of age, and has been living,
according to the dispatch, with a Mrs.
Carroll. The heir died, and the estate
would have passed from her. By mar-
rying the baby Miss Watrous made
him the heir, securing the property
for herself. As stated in the tele-
gram, the child's parents gave their
consent and the wedding was duly
performed. Miss Watrous, or Mrs.
Carroll, now possesses the youngest
husband in the world. As the marriage
was only to fill the conditions of the
will, it is expected that it will be an-
nulled as soon as the estate has been
settled and Mrs. Carroll has endowed
her young husband with a share of
the property.

Mrs. Marian P. Leavitt is entertain-
ing her friend, Mrs. Head of Pittsburg,
Pa.

JAPAN IS READY TO GO TO WAR; SENDS AN ULTIMATUM TO THE CZAR

The Mikado Demands That All Claims to Manchuria
Be Yielded—Prompt Refusal to Comply Will
Be the Signal for Hostilities.

London, April 6.—Japan has issued
what is practically an ultimatum to
Russia, calling upon that government
to surrender Manchuria at once, and
declaring that the refusal of Russia to
grant the request will be considered
by Japan as an unfriendly act which
will necessitate a declaration of war.
From two sources come the infor-
mation that Japan, not satisfied with
the previous answers of Russia con-
cerning Manchuria, has sent the final
and pointed communication to the
czar. In this city among government
officials, the opinion is general that
failure of Russia to acquiesce in the
demands of Japan will speedily bring
on a war that will be world wide in
its importance.

Almost an Ultimatum.
A dispatch from the Daily Mail from
its correspondent at Yokohama says:
"Russia's reply concerning Man-
churia being unsatisfactory, the Jap-
anese government has decided, after
a conference with the heads of army
and navy and with the departments
of finance and foreign affairs, to ad-
dress a second and more peremptory

AN APPEAL FOR RECONSIDERATION

Flurry Over the Primary Election Bill Took Place in
the Senate Today—First Saturday Session.

Madison, Wis., April 6.—Another
flurry over the Primary Election bill
occurred in the senate today over
Senator Miller's motion to reconsider
the vote by which his bill ordered
out of committee yesterday, was made
a special order for next Wednesday
evening, with the assembly bill. Sen-
ator Miller appealed for reconsidera-
tion of the vote, saying his object was
to kill his bill and vote for the as-
sembly bill, but his motion for re-
consideration was voted down.

The bill requiring the examination
and licensing of stationary engineers
was passed by the senate, but a mo-
tion for reconsideration will be acted
on Tuesday.
The assembly passed the bill pro-
viding that labor at the state's prison
shall be diversified.
The Wilson divorce bill, providing
that insanity shall not be ground
for divorce, unless it has existed for
five years before the commencement
of the action, was also killed by the
assembly.

Hold Saturday Session

Madison, Wis., April 6.—For the first
time since the legislature convened
Saturday sessions in both houses were
held this morning. The senate last
night followed the example set by the
assembly a few hours earlier and ad-
journing until ten a. m. this morning.
The committee on claims last night
favorably reported the bill providing
for instruction in agriculture and do-
mestic science in country schools and
the bill licensing stationary engineers.

NO WORK ANY NIGHT OR ON ANY SUNDAY

**MILWAUKEE ROAD DENIES CER-
TAIN RUMORS AFLOAT.**

Somebody with a Vivid Imagination is
Circulating False Stories—Officials
of the Road Say That There is Not
the Slightest Foundation for Such
Reports.

Mayor Victor P. Richardson was
notified this morning by Walter John-
son, local agent for the Chicago, Mil-
waukee & St. Paul company that a
telegram had been received from head-
quarters instructing him to notify
the mayor of the city that so far as
the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul
company is concerned there is no
intention of doing any work on any
night or any Sunday.

The telegram was signed by D. L.
Bush of Milwaukee, assistant general
superintendent for the road and was
the result of a persistent rumor which
has circulated quite freely during the
past week and which has caused con-
siderable excitement.
The rumor took on many forms and
was told with several variations but
the most common story was that the
St. Paul company had hired all the
drays, ice wagons and lumber wagons
in the city to go to work tonight. Vivid
imagination saw railroad tracks laid
up Main street from Spring Road
and right through the heart of the
city.

Another rumor was that the men
were given \$6 each to be ready to
go on duty any night on short notice.
Officials of the road say that there
has not been the slightest foundation
for any such report. All efforts to
trace it to a reliable source have
proved unavailing and it is the gen-
eral opinion that the entire story orig-

WHIPS ELOPING GIRL.

Angry Mother Arrives at Depot in Time
to Check Runaway Pair.

La Salle, Ill., April 6.—An attempt-
ed elopement furnished much amuse-
ment at the Chicago, Rock Island &
Pacific depot in this city yesterday.
Among the crowd which gathered
there in waiting for a passenger train
was John Hiser and Miss Mary Cox,
two of the city's prominent young peo-
ple. The couple attracted attention by
their apparent nervousness.

When it was announced that the
train was thirty minutes late the ner-
vousness of the couple increased.
Shortly before the train pulled in there
arrived at the depot a woman weigh-
ing not less than 200 pounds, who was
evidently in a state of great excite-
ment. In stentorian tones she asked
if anyone had seen her daughter. Miss
Cox at this time was crouching be-
hind a pile of trunks.

Mrs. Cox, however, caught sight of
her daughter and bounded after her.
She ordered the girl to return home.
The girl refused and Mrs. Cox proceed-
ed to chastise her.
The prospective husband interfered
as the mother was dragging her daugh-
ter from the car. He was struck across
the nose and knocked down with an
umbrella, which Mrs. Cox had seized.

LOCATES A BURNING SPRING.

Queer Freak of Nature in the Suburbs
of Seattle, Wash.

Seattle, Wash., April 6.—A burning
spring has been discovered in West
Seattle by a man named Jewell of
this city. It burns fiercely if a match
is touched to it, the flame being yel-
low. It will not stain silks or linens.
All of West Seattle is excited over
the discovery, and several parties
claim the land on which it is located.
It is the second burning spring found
in the world the other being at Ni-
agara Falls. It is thought that there
must be gas or oil under the soil.
It will be fenced in and twenty five
cents admission charged to see it.
Hundreds are going over to view
the novel discovery.

U. S. MAIL CARRIERS MAY GO COATLESS

**Postmaster General Will Grant Per-
mission to Mail Men to Travel**
in Shirt Sleeves in Summer.

Washington, D. C., April 6.—An
innovation looking to the comfort of
letter carriers throughout the country
during the heat of the summer prob-
ably will be introduced this year by
official permission to them to divest
their coats on their rounds when felt
to be necessary. It is expected that
the Postmaster General in the near
future will issue an order formally
for this purpose and modifying the re-
quirements so as to allow the carriers
to wear a suitable gray blouse, with
a turn-down collar and a black tie.

APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT

Oscar Deignan of Merrimac Fame Made
a Boatswain.

Washington, April 6.—The president
today made the following appoint-
ments:
Navy—Rush R. Wallace, Jr., to be a
first lieutenant in the marine corps;
John S. Doddridge, to be a lieutenant;
Thomas Lutz Stitt, to be an ensign;
Conrad W. L. Jungquist, to be a gun-
ner; Clayton P. Hand, a carpenter;
Frederick R. Hazard, a boatswain;
Arthur Smith a boatswain; Osborn
Deignan, a boatswain.

Osborn Deignan, who is appointed
boatswain, is one of the sailors who
accompanied Naval Constructor Hob-
son on the famous Merrimac expedition
into Santiago bay while the harbor was
being blockaded by the American fleet.
It was the desire of the president to
reward Deignan for his bravery on
that occasion by appointing him a
naval cadet at Annapolis, but it was
found that he was not eligible.

COLLINS-SEXTON WEDDING.

The Bride and Groom at Home on the
Woodruff Farm.

The many local friends of Miss
Elizabeth Collins will be surprised to
learn of her recent marriage to
Sidney Sexton of this city. The
ceremony was solemnized at Ogdens-
burg in the northern part of the state
about two weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs.
Sexton are making their home on the
Woodruff farm near the golf links.
The bride is the adopted daughter of
Mrs. C. M. Fleck of this city and she
kept her approaching marriage so
secret that even they knew nothing
of it until the newly married couple
reached this city and their daughter
introduced her husband to them.

The bride was graduated from the
Janesville high school in the class of
'99 and was highly esteemed for her
fine character. The groom is also
well known in this city and in the
surrounding country having been em-
ployed as a farmer in the vicinity for
several years. He was a widower,
his first wife having been Miss Lucie-
tia Wasgat, now deceased.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs.
Sexton wish them much joy and hap-
piness.
Miss Hatch of Washington, D. C.,
a grand-daughter of Dr. M. G. Hodge,
is visiting relatives and friends in
this city. She is the guest of Mrs.
Marian Leavitt.

EASTER MELODIES IN THE CHURCHES

Fine Musical Programs Ar-
ranged for the Easter
Sunday Services.

CHILDREN TAKE PART

Sermons Will Be Delivered

Appropriate to the Great
Christian Festival.

CHURCHES ARE DECORATED

MARY AT THE SEPULCHRE.

John xx, 11-18.
11. But Mary stood without at the sep-
ulchre weeping; and as she wept, she
steepled down, and looked into the sepul-
chre.
12. And seeth two angels in white sitting,
the one at the head, and the other at the
feet, where the body of Jesus had lain.
13. And they say unto her, woman, why
weepest thou? she saith unto them, because
they have taken away my Lord, and I know
not where they have laid him.
14. And when she had thus said, she
turned herself back, and saw Jesus stand-
ing, and knew not that it was Jesus.
15. Jesus saith unto her, Woman, why
weepest thou? whom seekest thou? she
saith unto him, Sir, if thou have borne him
hence, tell me where thou has laid him, and I
will take him away.
16. Jesus saith unto her, Mary. She
turned herself, and saith unto him, Rab-
boni; which is to say, Master.
17. Jesus saith unto her, Touch Me not:
for I am not yet ascended to my Father;
but go to my brethren, and say unto them,
I ascend unto my Father, and your Father;
and to my God, and your God.
18. Mary Magdalene came and told the
disciples that she had seen the Lord, and
that he had spoken these things unto her.

Once again has come the glad Eas-
ter time, the season to which music,
flowers and hope all belong and which
harks back to a period of dim antiq-
uity far antedating the Christian
era. Our remote pagan ancestors
greeted the oncoming of spring, af-
ter the rigors of winter, with a bliss-
ful and ceremonious welcome, with
processions, garlands and sacrificial
rites.

When the old gods fell and pagan-
ism waned, the priests of Christian-
ity, with rare wisdom, adopted the
beautiful fete day of Easter and hal-
lowed it to nobler uses. With us it
celebrates the resurrection of our
blessed Lord.

Underlying the philosophy of the
old and the religion of the new day
is the everlasting symbolism of life
victorious over death and decay, as-
serting its unceasing supremacy and
springing up from darkness and im-
prisonment to radiance and freedom.

The land will soon be white and
pink in the bloom of its orchards and
its velvet pastures will ripple with
verdure while nature in her myriad
forms shall once again celebrate the
Easter-tide—celebrate it with pomp
and pageant and the bestowal of the
gifts which evermore she showers up-
on the children of men. The an-
them of the mountains and the
oceans, of the singing birds and the
blossoming fields are more glorious
eloquent of the resurrected life
than the chorals of magnificent praise
which are uplifted in our churches the
wide world over.

The sacred observance of the sea-
son of triumphant hope will be held
in the various churches, tomorrow,
Easter Sunday. Without the belief
would never have brightened dawn
which Easter typifies Christianity
would never have brightened and glo-
rified the world and the church of
the living Christ does well to honor
it with impressive services.

In every church tomorrow fair lil-
ies and other beautiful flowers will
send the incense of their fragrance
heavenward and special musical pro-
grams will add to the impressive
services. In pulpit and in pew to-
morrow the living Christ will be the
central thought.

Congregational Church.

Members of Janesville commandry,
No. 2, Knights Templar, will be guests
of honor at the morning service which
will be held at 10:30 o'clock. The
evening service at seven o'clock will
be devoted to a sacred concert by
the children of the Sunday school.
Bible school will be held at noon, but
no meeting of the Christian Endeavor
society will be held, owing to their
service in the morning. Rev. R. C.
Denison, the pastor, will preach at
the morning service. The following
are the programs for morning and
evening:

MORNING SERVICE.

Organ, Overture in D Minor. Natate
Processional. O Joyous Easter Morning
Violon. Fr. Halverson; Cello, Mr.
Lewis; Piano, Mrs. Sherer.
Doxology
Invocation
Anthems—Lift Your Glad Voices. Van Laer
Solo, Miss Akhn.
Christ Hath Won the Victory. Hawley
Male Quartette: Solo by
Mrs. J. L. Wilcox.
Responsive Reading. Page 57
Duet, Songs of Praise the Angels
Sing. Flosser
Mrs. Menzies, Mrs. S. B. Lewis.
Scripture
Children's Choir, Hallelujah. Skelly
Prayer
Response

THE EQUIPMENT AND EXPENSE OF 22 BADGER FIRE DEPARTMENTS

Exhaustive Statement Prepared by Chief Spencer, of
the Janesville Department—Interesting
Facts and Figures on the Subject.

The tabulated statement compiled by John C. Spencer, chief of the Janesville Fire Department, which is published in this paper, contains valuable information for the public, especially tax payers and city officials. Chief Spencer has included all Wisconsin cities having a population of 8,000 or over, for the purpose of comparing the equipment, strength and cost of the several fire departments.

In compiling the statistics many other valuable points have crept into his table. There are twenty-two cities represented which he has arranged in order of population—census of 1900—as follows: Milwaukee, Superior, Racine, La Crosse, Oshkosh, Sheboygan, Madison, Green Bay, Eau Claire, Marinette, Fond du Lac, Appleton, Janesville, Ashland, Wausau, Manitowoc, Kenosha, Beloit, Stevens Point, Merrill, Watertown, Chippewa Falls.

These twenty-two cities represent an aggregate population of 635,226, and an assessed valuation of \$285,032,653.50. Milwaukee, as a matter of fact, stands first in population and wealth—visible to the assessors, and while Racine stands second in population she stands fifth in wealth. Chippewa Falls is at the bottom in population, but her visible wealth boosts her up to the nineteenth place, or ahead of Stevens Point, Merrill and Watertown. The comparison of the population of these cities with their assessed valuation reveals some queer and curious facts, making some radical changes in their relative positions. Taken in the order of taxable wealth as revealed by this table, the cities would stand in the following order:

Milwaukee	\$158,174,873.15
La Crosse	12,941,342.00
Sheboygan	11,900,689.00
Superior	11,887,319.35
Racine	10,776,700.00
Oshkosh	9,542,142.00
Madison	8,115,851.00
Ashland	7,600,000.00
Eau Claire	6,306,419.00
Manitowoc	5,473,115.00
Beloit	5,014,000.00
Janesville	4,587,320.00
Appleton	4,101,468.00
Green Bay	3,930,075.00
Marinette	3,530,703.00
Wausau	3,324,772.00
Fond du Lac	3,095,100.00
Kenosha	2,911,167.00
Chippewa Falls	2,831,455.00
Stevens Point	2,162,407.00
Merrill	2,000,000.00
Watertown	2,000,000.00

The fire departments in these twenty-two cities give steady employment to six hundred and forty-eight (648) men; in addition to the regular force there are three hundred and fifty-four (354) call men or volunteers, who are paid for only a part of their time, the pay of the call men or volunteers varying from \$30 to \$180 per year, with a few who receive no pay. Forty-six steam fire engines are used or held in reserve, twenty of which are in constant service in Milwaukee. One hundred and five hose wagons, carriages or carts are in service, together with thirty-four hook and ladder trucks, eighteen chemical engines, three fire patrols, five fire boats. Three hundred and sixty-seven horses are required in these departments. The sum of \$683,752.93 was expended in 1900 for fire department expenses, exclusive of water rentals. Milwaukee, La Crosse, Oshkosh, Green, Appleton, and Merrill are the only cities having full paid fire departments.

All the cities have water works—Milwaukee, La Crosse, Madison, Wausau, Kenosha and Watertown owning their plants, while the other cities are supplied by private companies and paid in 1900 the sum of \$190,071.28 for their water. With the exception of Milwaukee all the water works plants are what is termed "high pressure," fire engines not being required. There are 7,819 fire hydrants in use. Of the cities depending upon private companies for

their water supply, Janesville appears to be at the head of the list, considering water rates, her water tax (representing 262 fire hydrants) amounting to only \$0.46 9-10 per capita, while in Ashland (with 224 hydrants represented) the per capita water tax is \$1.07 1-10, and in Chippewa Falls (155 hydrants being represented) the per capita water tax is \$1.00 9-10. There is a wide variation shown in the water rentals of the several cities depending on private companies, for their supply, which will furnish an interesting study.

All the cities—except Stevens Point, Merrill and Watertown—have a fire alarm system, there being 1,039 street boxes in use, Milwaukee having the greatest number—371, with Chippewa Falls at the lower end of the line with 16. The fire departments of these cities—omitting Marinette—responded to 2,804 alarms during the year 1900, the Milwaukee department leading the column with 1,247 alarms, and Manitowoc and Watertown bringing up the rear with nineteen alarms each.

The fire insurance statistics are quite interesting and reveal some important facts. The property owners in the cities named paid the fire insurance companies in 1900 the sum of \$2,967,440.59 in premiums, and—omitting Stevens Point and Watertown (from which no data as to losses paid were received)—the insurance companies paid back in fire losses the sum of \$1,434,559.60. The insurance losses paid in the several cities are reported as follows:

Ashland	\$345,000.00
Oshkosh	291,000.00
Madison	230,000.00
Sheboygan	170,000.00
Superior	130,000.00
Racine	110,000.00
Janesville	100,000.00
Fond du Lac	80,000.00
Eau Claire	70,000.00
Superior	60,000.00
La Crosse	50,000.00
Kenosha	40,000.00
Green Bay	30,000.00
Merrill	20,000.00
Beloit	10,000.00
Marinette	10,000.00
Appleton	10,000.00
Wausau	10,000.00
Fond du Lac	10,000.00
Kenosha	10,000.00
Chippewa Falls	10,000.00
Stevens Point	10,000.00
Merrill	10,000.00
Watertown	10,000.00

The fire insurance premiums paid in the several cities are shown as follows:

Milwaukee	\$1,285,174.00
Superior	310,032.00
Oshkosh	182,403.45
La Crosse	130,260.00
Racine	115,000.00
Green Bay	95,665.85
Sheboygan	90,507.00
Eau Claire	75,000.00
Manitowoc	68,005.00
Marinette	64,000.00
Madison	62,000.00
Fond du Lac	50,000.00
Janesville	50,000.00
Wausau	50,000.00
Merrill	50,000.00
Kenosha	50,000.00
Stevens Point	50,000.00
Chippewa Falls	50,000.00
Beloit	50,000.00
Watertown	50,000.00

Referring to these two recapitulations it will be seen that the premiums paid in Milwaukee, besides paying her own fire losses for the year, very near balance the losses of the other cities named, thus leaving the premiums of the twenty-one cities practically unscorched.

Chief Spencer's statistical table shows that much work and painstaking have been bestowed upon it. The data was gathered from the several chiefs of departments whose names appear in the table, and are, therefore, considered reliable. After writing letters asking for the information desired, printed proofs of the table were sent to each chief for correction. Chief Spencer is confident, therefore, that the figures are as correct as it is possible to make them. As a whole the table will be found to contain many valuable points not shown in this review, besides being of great value as a reference to fire matters in Wisconsin.

not speaking too much in his praise. His Mephistopheles contains more elements of worth of the character as the German poet conceived it and a finer, better appreciation of its real significance than any that has been seen recently in Chicago. In the hands of various actors Mephistopheles has degenerated to a buffoon with only a red mantle and a malignant grin to identify him. Mr. Griffith restores to it its moving force with considerable artistic skill, defines its psychological significance, and invests the role with a satirical, grim humor that is commendable.

From a managerial standpoint, the production of "Quo Vadis" by the E. J. Carpenter Co., at the Myers Grand is the most successful dramatic sensation of the age. The explanation is found in the charm of novelty of the production. "Quo Vadis" is of the elaborate order regarding the scenery, which is from the brush of W. A. Bushler and consists of seven tableaux and four full stage sets. The costumes are historical, and the development of the play places before the audience a panorama of Roman life, from palace halls to prison walls. The struggles of the early Christian church against the hatred and tyranny of Nero and the members of his corrupt court is dwelt upon in a vivid manner, making the attraction one which appeals to all classes of people.

The Great Herrmann who has astounded the civilized globe with his marvelous feats of necromancy will present at the Myers Grand on Wednesday, April 10, several of the grandest and most astonishing illusions ever seen on any stage.

Gus Weinberg, the leading comedian of "The Burgomaster" company possesses a valet who accompanies him on tour. Mr. Weinberg claims that he is absolutely necessary to assist him in his many changes during each performance, and especially in the prologue of the musical comedy where he portrays Peter Stuyvesant and affects a one legged man with a wooden peg for the other limb. The wooden member is securely strapped to his body, and for at least ten minutes during the act he must either stand on one leg or lie down. He cannot bend or sit down without the assistance of his servant, and when he lies down his valet must assist him, and also when he rises. It is no easy matter to be funny when he is not at ease—but then again he is only one of the many actors who have amused an audience under difficulties even worse than this, and under the circumstances he is entitled to a valet. This play will be here May 9.

If troubled by a weak digestion, loss of appetite, or constipation, try a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Every box warranted. For sale by Peoples' Drug Store and King's Pharmacy.

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Quotations on Grain and Produce As Reported for The Gazette.	
Reported by R. E. McGuire.	
FLOUR—Retail at 95c @ \$1.15 per sack.	
WHEAT—No. 2, 95c per bu.	
RYE—No. 2, 95c per bu.	
BARLEY—No. 2, 95c per bu.	
CORN—Shelled, 35c per bu.; ear, \$8.75 @ \$9.00 per ton.	
OATS—Common to best, white, 20c @ 21c per bu.	
CLAYTON SEED—\$2.25 @ \$3.00 per 100 lbs.	
TIMOTHY SEED—\$3.50 @ \$4.00 per 100 lbs.	
FEED—No. 2, 10c per 100 lbs.	
BRAN—Retail at 55c @ \$1.00 per 100 lbs.	
MIDDLINGS—55c per 100 lbs. \$1.00 per ton.	
MEAL—No. 2, 10c per 100 lbs. \$1.00 per ton.	
HAY—Timothy No. 1, \$12.00 @ \$14.00; Clover \$10.00 @ \$12.00; Wild \$8.00 @ \$10.00.	
STRAW—No. 1, 75c per ton.	
POTATOES—No. 1, 75c per bushel.	
BEANS—No. 1, 75c per bushel.	
BUTTER—Creamery, 24c; dairy, 18c @ 19c.	
EGGS—No. 1, 20c per dozen.	
POULTRY—No. 1, 20c per lb.	
WOOL—Washed, 27c @ 28c; unwashed, 17c @ 20c.	
HIDES—No. 1, 50c @ 55c.	
FEATHERS—Quotable at 10c @ \$1.00.	
CATTLE—No. 1, 25c @ \$3.50 per head.	
HOGS—No. 1, 30c @ \$3.50 per head.	
SHEEP—No. 1, 30c @ 35c; lambs, 40c @ 45c.	

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Apostle Growing Weaker.

Monterey, Cal., April 6.—George Q. Cannon, the Mormon apostle, is growing weaker. A specialist from San Francisco who was called into consultation was dubious as to his recovery. The invalid is afflicted with insomnia, and a complete mental collapse is feared.

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GEN. CLAY ON THE WARPATH

Old Kentucky Hero Battles with Sheriff's Posse.

SHOOTS AT THE OFFICERS.

Sheriff and Deputy Return the Fire, Slightly Wounding the Fugitive. General—Violent Barriacted in Home—Trouble Between Clay and His Daughter.

Lexington, Ky., April 6.—General Cassius M. Clay, former Minister to Russia, noted abolitionist, duelist, editor, and politician, whose eccentricities alone would have made him a national character, took the warpath again and tried to kill the sheriff and his deputy who were attempting to serve a warrant on him. Clay is now in his ninety-first year, and feeble and childish, and it was thought that he scarcely had the strength to be dangerous. He set this idea at rest by pouring the contents of several repeating shotguns at Sheriff Colyer and Deputy Terrill, of Madison. Mrs. Mary B. Clay, a daughter of General Clay, has been keeping house for him since the time he was deserted by his child wife, Dora Richardson. General Clay is still madly in love with the girl, and is possessed with the idea that he must leave her all that he owns. The fact that she obtained a divorce and married a laboring man, Riley Brock, seems to have made no difference in his feelings.

Meets Woman with Revolver.

He talked of the matter constantly, and finally told his daughter that she must get the other relatives to relinquish all claims to his property. Being unable to dissuade him, she went away for a short time. General Clay met her at the door on her return with his revolver in hand. He shook his long white hair from his forehead like an angry bull and, pointing the weapon at her, said:

"If you don't leave this place at once I will kill you."

Mrs. Clay fled terror-stricken and returned to Richmond, where she had a writ of delivery issued for the furniture she had at Whitehall. Sheriff Colyer attempted to serve the paper. When he knocked at the door General Clay appeared armed with a revolver. "Get off this place," he shouted, flourishing the weapon.

Shows Starts to Retreat.

Argument was useless, and the sheriff started to retreat. General Clay stepped back in the hall and seized a repeating shotgun, with which he opened fire. Bud Littrell and Jim Bolin, two laborers, who were Clay's guard at the house, loaded other weapons for him and he emptied them as well as he could toward the officers. The latter took refuge behind the huge forest trees in the yard and finally, by a hurried fusillade, intended only to frighten him, forced General Clay into the house. They lingered in the vicinity for several hours and were rewarded by the capture of Bolin, whom Clay, in a moment of suspicious anger, had driven from the house. Bolin declares that the old man is pacing the floor like a caged animal, armed with bowie knives, revolvers, and rifles, and that he is slightly wounded. His son, Brutus Clay of Richmond, says he will, with a posse, visit Whitehall today. It is believed General Clay is insane.

Error Shifts Topeka Result.

Topeka, Kan., April 6.—The Topeka city council, in canvassing the municipal returns has found a discrepancy in the figures. Returns show the election of Hughes, republican, for mayor by twelve votes. Before this his opponent was eleven votes ahead.

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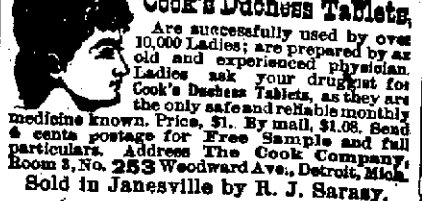
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AMUSEMENT NOTES

Frederick Remington, the incomparable artist of "The Man and the Horse," has loaned his genius and expert knowledge of the southwest and its people to Mr. Augustus Thomas, for the more perfect incidental investiture of the new play, "Arizona." Some of the characters in "Arizona" are those, exactly which Mr. Remington loves best to draw. One of them is very nearly a prototype of his latest fiction creation, "Sundown La Fleur." A very competent company it would seem, has been engaged to present "Arizona." Sale opens at box office Friday at ten o'clock. Prices, \$1, 75c, 50c, 25c.

Mr. John Griffith, who has inaugurated the first season of his starring contract with Manager Al Caldwell, with a magnificent scenic production of Goethe's poetic sermon, "Faust," will be the attraction at Myers Grand April 18. Mr. Griffith enacts the role of Mephisto. Commenting on the production the Chicago Tribune of a recent date says: "That Mr. Griffith is altogether an effective actor or that he finds expression for all the varying moods of the great psychological study he essays to interpret is



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WITCH KILLERS ON TRIAL

Indians Plead Emotional Insanity as De'ense.

BELIEVERS IN WITCHCRAFT.

Choctaws at Paris, Texas, Are Accused of Slaying Two Women and a Man—Tribe Divided Over the Crime and Fate Deserved.

Paris, Tex., April 6.—Soloman Hotema and Sam Frye, full-blooded Choctaw Indians, known as the "witch killers," were arraigned in the federal court here charged with murder. Sam Tarnatubby, an alleged witch doctor, jointly indicted with them, was granted a severance. The defendants are charged with the murder of two women and a man, all Choctaws, near Grant, I. T., on April 14, 1899.

The crime was due to a belief in witchcraft. There had been several sudden deaths in the community from meningitis. Tarnatubby was consulted. He stated that the persons had been bewitched, and located the victims of the defendants as the witches who had worked the evil charm, declaring they would have to be killed to stay the plague.

Hotema got into his buggy, and, accompanied by Frye and Tobias Williams, who afterwards died in jail at Atoka, made the rounds and executed the witches. The slayers were arrested and granted a change of venue to the Paris federal court. The prisoners are represented by able counsel. Their defense is emotional insanity.

Several physicians have been summoned to give expert testimony, and nearly 200 other witnesses have been summoned. The trial will last four or five days. Great bitterness is manifested towards the defendants by the witnesses from the scene of the crime, especially Hotema. The plea of insanity is expected to bring out some interesting arguments and facts, concerning the race proclivities and religious fanaticism prompting the deed. The afternoon's proceedings were devoted to the facts of the killing.

Regarding the plea of insanity, the government contends that the belief in witchcraft was possessed by the defendants and their neighbors; that insanity is a disease of the mind, and simply a conclusion arrived at after investigation and argument. The defense contends that Hotema preached against witchcraft until he became worked up into a religious frenzy, and believed he was commanded by God to kill the alleged witches.

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Fethers, Jeffris & Mount, Attorneys, STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In probate. Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the county court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of May, A. D., 1901, being May 7th, 1901, at nine o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard and considered:

The application of Wilbur F. Carle, to admit to probate the last will and testament of Abram Phelps, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased. Dated April 6th, 1901.

(By the Court, J. W. SALLE, County Judge.) Fethers, Jeffris & Mount, Attorneys for the petitioner.

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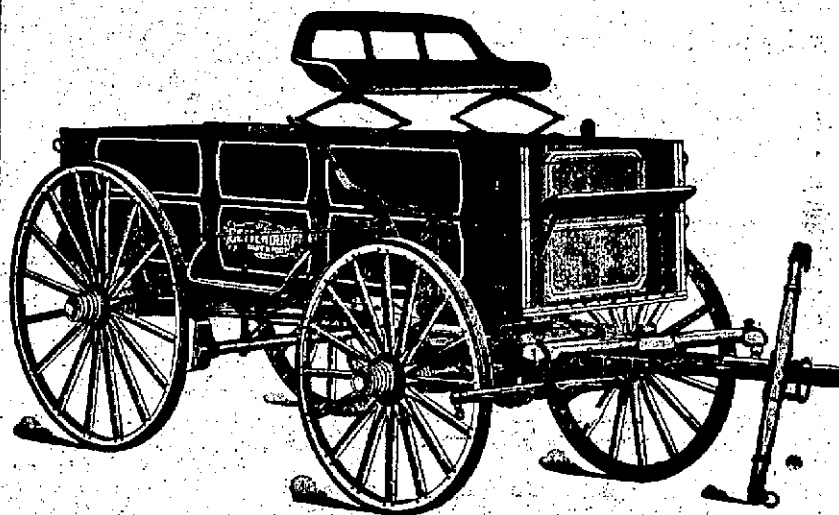
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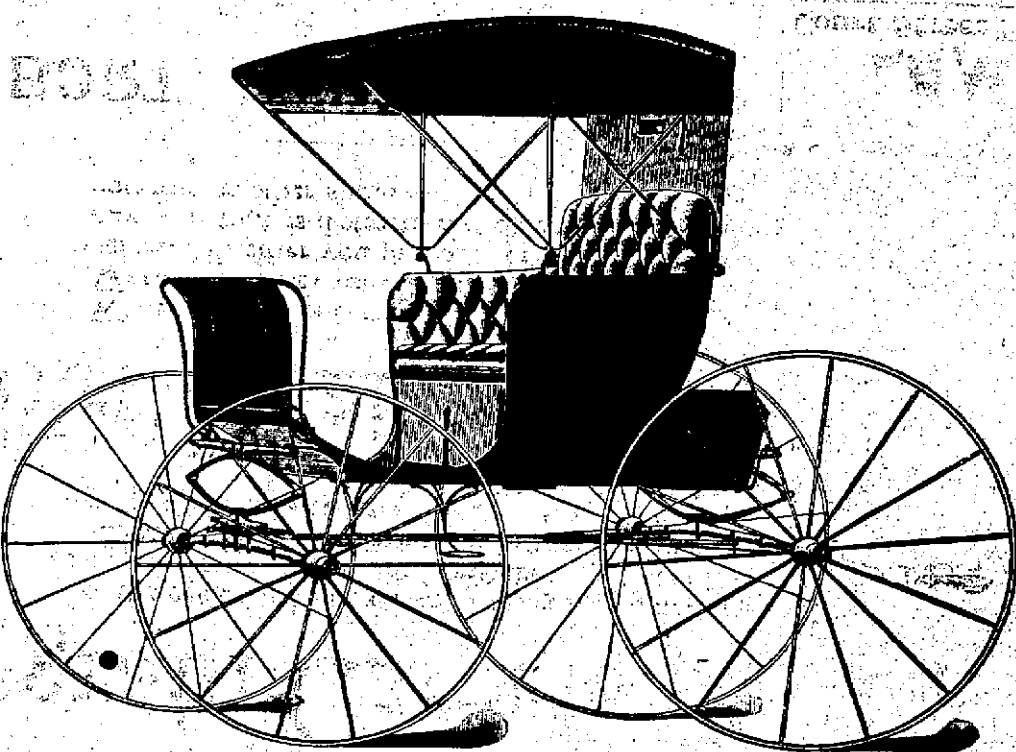
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